TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 2285 - SB 3112

February 21, 2012

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes the court to order a person convicted of adult-to-adult simple possession or casual exchange of a controlled substance to remove litter from the state highway system, public playgrounds, public parks, or other appropriate locations or to work in a recycling center or other appropriate location for a prescribed period of time.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- The number of offenders who will be ordered to perform litter pickup or work at a recycling center is unknown but is estimated to be not significant.
- It is unclear what agency will be responsible for supervision of these offenders; however, any increase in costs associated with the supervision and monitoring of such offenders is estimated to be not significant and can be accommodated within existing resources. Any increase in state or local expenditures will be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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